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New Laws That Will Affect Business in 2016

Each year the California State Legislature passes dozens of new laws that directly impact businesses. Here are some important new laws that will have the biggest impact on our local business community in 2016.

Another Minimum Wage Increase
The minimum wage increases on January 1, 2016, to $10 an hour. The increase is not a new law, but is the last mandatory increase from the legislation signed into law in 2013.
Employers are reminded that the minimum wage law can affect both non-exempt and exempt employees.

Discrimination/Retaliation
The Fair Pay Act clarified existing state law that prohibits employers from paying unequal wages based solely on gender. The act also creates a private right of action for retaliation and discrimination.

School Activities Leave
A school activities law expands the right of employees to take protected time off from work when searching for a school or childcare provider. It applies to employers with 25 or more employees and allows an employee to use eight hours in a calendar month with a total of 40 hours in a calendar year. In addition to expanding the categories of employees eligible to take time off for a child, SB 579 allows an employee protected time off to find a school or a licensed child care provider and to enroll or re-enroll a child, and time off to address child care provider or school emergencies.

Private Attorneys General Act
A new law that took effect in October 2015 gives employers a limited right to correct two types of itemized wage statement violations before an employee can sue. AB 1506 amends the Private Attorneys General Act under the Labor Code to specify that an employer has 33 days to cure specific violations with regards to paystubs. Employers have been hit with multimillion-dollar lawsuits for minor violations. An employer will now be allowed to correct violations involving: (1) a failure to provide employees with an itemized wage statement that contains the inclusive dates of the pay period; or (2) a failure to provide employees with an itemized wage statement that contains the name and address of the legal entity.
Chair MESSAGE

By Ann Garten
Chair of the Board

Chamber Continues Strong Stand To Revitalize Waterfront

As the incoming Chair of the Board, as well as the immediate past chair of the Government Relations Council on Local Issues, it is an honor to lead the Chamber during a year when we will see a transformational project come before our community. Both the Board of Directors and the Government Relations Council have identified revitalizing the city’s waterfront as one of the Chamber’s top priorities. The Draft Environmental Impact Report (DEIR) was released in mid-November. The 6500 page report studied potential environmental impacts created by the project. The only two significant operational impacts that can’t be fully mitigated are the tsunami threat which impacts most of California’s coastal communities, as well as increased noise as a result of more people congregating at the waterfront.

The Waterfront has been a key project for the Chamber due to the economic benefits it brings to the city and our local businesses. Economically, the project will create about 2,500 jobs and bring in an estimated $3 million annually to the community, which will go toward necessary public services, like education and public safety.

The current waterfront has many issues. The parking structures are disintegrating before our eyes with large chunks of concrete falling regularly creating public safety issues for anyone who visits the waterfront. Until recently the waterfront had higher vacancy rates than you would think. The announcement that CenterCal would be leading revitalization created a buzz for both local businesses and national brands like Barney’s Beanery, to want to locate at the waterfront in an effort to be part of the transformation.

Continuation from the “CHAIR ARTICLE”

The process is just getting underway, but the road to approval will be filled with spirited debate and passion from all sides. We must do our best to be positive and promote this once-in-a-generation project for Redondo Beach.

The waterfront was once the lifeblood of our city. However, years of neglect and a lack of meaningful improvements for decades have left the waterfront a shadow of what it once was. We now have the opportunity to reestablish our waterfront as the crown jewel of the South Bay.

On January 19th, the City Council meeting will include discussions on financing the public infrastructure repairs and the current status of the parking structure. We hope you can attend and show your support.

Please join your Chamber in supporting CenterCal and advocating for the City’s approval of this exciting project! We most likely will not have another opportunity to impact our local community and improve our local economy in a manner this great again for years to come.
President MESSAGE
By Marna Smeltzer  
President & CEO

Potential Ballot Measure Would Harm Redondo Beach Quality of Life

A new ballot measure is collecting signatures for the Property Tax Surcharge to Fund Poverty Reduction Programs initiative. This proposal would impose an additional surcharge on real property with an assessed value of over $3 million. Surcharge based on a sliding scale ranging from three-tenths of one percent for real property assessed at $3 million to eight-tenths of one percent for real property assessed at $10 million or more. The measure would also allocate the generated revenue to numerous programs for the purpose of reducing poverty, including: prenatal services, expanded childcare, early childhood education, after-school and summer programs, job training grants, tax credits, and monetary aid.

How does this impact Redondo Beach? Since its inception, the property tax has been used to fund local government services. By diverting local property taxes to fund state programs to end poverty, the proposed surcharge will hurt police, fire, other local city services that depend on the property tax. This property tax surcharge would add to California’s status as having the most burdensome tax structure in the nation, including the highest personal income tax, corporate tax, sales tax, and, under this proposed initiative, property tax. It will derail further economic growth, particularly in parts of the state where people continue to struggle. It would negatively impact some of our largest corporate citizens such as Northrop Grumman and the Galleria.

The initiative has been cleared to seek signatures to qualify for the November 2016 ballot. The deadline for the proponents to submit no less than 585,880 signatures is on March 21, 2016.

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Join more than 9,000 race enthusiasts at Southern California’s greatest Super Bowl Celebration! Now in its 38th year, the Redondo Beach Super Bowl Sunday 10K/5K Run/Walk is a great way to celebrate the biggest day in sports and enjoy the picturesque sites of Redondo Beach: the Pacific Ocean, the Redondo Beach Historic Pier, the Marina in King Harbor, the Wyland whale mural, ocean breezes, fresh air and beautiful Southern California winter weather. Run, walk, or stroll in the Redondo Beach Super Bowl Sunday 10K Run, 5K Run/ Walk or Baby Buggy 10K. There will also be a costume contest that is a big hit every year!

Participants and guests can also enjoy great food, beverages and a variety of running accessories at the 2-day Health & Fitness Expo presented by Michelob Ultra.

Start your Super Bowl Sunday on a healthy, fun and festive note and finish in plenty of time to enjoy America’s Classic - Super Bowl!

HEALTH & FITNESS EXPO

- Saturday, Feb. 6, 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
- Sunday, Feb. 7, 6:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

RACE PACKET PICK UP:

You can pick up your race packet, race shirt and bib number on Saturday, February 6 from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. or Sunday, February 7 starting at 6:00 a.m. at the Health & Fitness Expo located in the Seaside Lagoon adjacent to the Start Line. You are encouraged to avoid the race day rush by picking up your packet on Saturday.

Be sure to add the “Proud Member” logo to your website! Search engines look for frequency of specific information when determining how high to list a site when a search is made. This means, the more members use the logo, the higher those businesses will appear after a search!
Join the Crew and Make a Difference

By Arnette Travis

One of the Redondo Beach Chamber’s priorities for 2016 is to ensure the approval of the proposed waterfront revitalization project in Redondo Beach; also known as The Waterfront. Local developer CenterCal has fused their expertise with Redondo’s beautiful natural resource to bring much needed revitalization and more opportunities to engage and enjoy our waterfront for generations to come. The Draft Environmental Impact Report (DEIR) released in mid-November studied potential environmental impacts created by the project and determined there are only two significant operational impacts that can’t be fully mitigated: the tsunami threat, which is always the case, and increased noise as a result of more people congregating at the waterfront.

The Waterfront is a no brainer for our city. Economically, the project will create about 2,500 jobs and bring in an estimated $3 million annually to the community, which will go toward necessary public services, like education and public safety. To help realize this goal, the Chamber is facilitating The Waterfront Redondo Beach Crew. The Crew is a group of citizen activists who are working to ensure the project’s approval by informing and distributing the facts of the project to combat the fiction being put forth by the opposition.

I am leading the Crew’s efforts. As a 25-year resident of Redondo Beach, I very much want the project to succeed for many reasons. One reason is that I love riding my bike to the waterfront. However, when I ride to the end of Torrance Blvd., I turn left at the waterfront to continue riding, as there is nothing to the right. It would be nice to turn right and have options like breakfast with a waterfront view.

Our waterfront is underutilized and underdeveloped. The Crew is a group of active residents who want to help transform the waterfront into somewhere everyone wants to go. We want to get the facts out and educate people in a positive and encouraging way, as it’s our community and residents deserve to be truthfully informed.

Misinformation has plagued this and other development projects in our City because few people speak out. After years of seeing misinformation and lack of civic activism as the cause of failure so many times, I can no longer sit on the sidelines. Presently, there are about 35 Crew members – but we need more. Many Crew members are Chamber members, but some – like me – are not. We all care about our community and welcome the opportunity to learn the truth of The Waterfront and participate in the process.

As a Crew member, you’ll have a variety of ways to participate. You can write letters to the editor, attend and speak at City Council meetings, facilitate coffee presentations, lead tours, and support Crew efforts in events and opportunities throughout the year. Most of all, you will be part of this exciting chapter of the Redondo Beach story.

To join the Crew, contact the Chamber or me directly: arnette921@gmail.com or 310-871-2547. Get involved and help make a positive difference in our community!

Tip of the Month from Your Health & Wellness Committee

New Year’s Resolutions Shouldn’t Be Stressful

New Year’s Resolutions... Most of us make them, but how many of us succeed at achieving them? One creative way to achieve goals you have for the new year is to manage the stress around them, and think of alternative resolutions that are similar and attainable.

Not motivated to hit the gym? Try a dance class instead. Not sure of your 2016 goals? Attend a purpose workshop. Want to learn a new skill? Take a class.

The Chamber of Commerce has some great people and businesses you can partner with to make 2016 your best year yet! Check our website for experts on Health and Fitness, Health and Wellness, Education, and Personal Services. Whatever you’re looking to do, learn, or change...there is a partner for you in the Chamber of Commerce.

Visit our Health & Wellness page for upcoming seminars: http://chamber.visitredondo.com/health-wellness-events.html or find members who offer what you’re looking for in our online Chamber Directory.

Living on Purpose

BCHD is hosting a free purpose workshop, led by best-selling author Richard Leider, on Feb. 10 in Hermosa Beach

By Lauren Nakano, Director, BCHD’s Blue Zones Project

Buy a gym membership – and actually use it this time. Run a marathon. Eat more fruits and vegetables. January 2016 is quickly approaching and, for many of us, that means we are deeply

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New South Bay Business Portal Launched

Southbaybusiness.org is the result of a regional collaboration between South Bay Cities and the South Bay Workforce Investment Board (SBWIB) to help businesses succeed in a competitive marketplace. The website was designed by the SBWIB as a tool for layoff aversion and business retention efforts. It provides business and governments with the critical data they need to evaluate trends and make important business decisions. The SBWIB received a special grant from the State of California to develop the website.

The site is designed to promote our region and features a special page highlighting each city with an overview and description along with key contact information and facts about the city. Additionally, there is a comprehensive commercial real estate search engine that provides details about available commercial real estate for sale or lease within each city. Plus, there are several analysis tools that businesses can use including:

- Comprehensive demographic data
- A business search tool, a city comparison tool and a mapping tool
- Local community profiles
- A list of incentives available to businesses in each city
- Workforce, education and labor information
- And options to create presentation quality reports

For more information about the SBWIB and the new business portal please contact:

Chris Cagle
Regional Affairs Manager
South Bay Workforce Investment Board
310-213-5182
ccagle@sbwib.org | www.sbwib.org

The SBWIB is organized under a joint powers agreement between South Bay cities and is overseen by the State of California with the purpose of providing no cost business, employment and youth labor services to communities within their territory, which includes: Redondo Beach, Hermosa Beach, Manhattan Beach, El Segundo, Inglewood, Hawthorne, Lawndale, Gardena, Lomita, Torrance and Carson. There are 49 workforce boards in the State of California covering every part of the state. Our WIB covers the South Bay area.

Take a look at SouthBayBusiness.org and discover the amazing no cost tools available to help your business succeed!

State of the CITY 2016

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Are You Ready For El Nino?

For many, winter brings cool air, trees displaying their brilliant colors, warm apple cider and the crunch of leaves beneath your feet. But the season can also bring weather hazards such as strong storms with whipping winds, early season snows and floods.

El Niño storms are estimated to be their strongest in years and agencies throughout Los Angeles County are already preparing.

When strong El Niño conditions exist, there is a higher probability of increased rainfall along the coast of California. The increased rainfall can result in heavier than normal runoff, causing regional and large-scale flooding. However, it is difficult to predict how strong this winter’s El Niño could become, and the effects storms may have on the West Coast. So it is important to be aware of the possible impacts from an El Niño winter and plan accordingly.

Don’t let dangerous fall weather catch you unprepared! With just a few simple steps, you can be weather-ready for whatever comes this winter.

1. Know Your Risk
2. Take Action!
3. Be A Force of Nature

IN AN EMERGENCY

• Monitor radio and TV news closely for information about weather conditions, flooding in your area and safety precautions being advised.
• Be prepared to leave immediately if an evacuation is ordered. Have alternate evacuation routes out of your neighborhood.
• Stay away from flood channels and flowing rivers. You could be knocked off your feet in as little as six inches of water.
• Don’t try to cross flooded areas and never enter moving water. Turn around - don’t drown.
• Floodwaters pick up sewage and chemicals from roads and factories. If your home has been flooded, protect your family’s health by cleaning up right away. Throw out foods and medicines that may have been affected.
• Stay away from steep slopes that may become unstable when saturated.
• Never touch a downed power line, which can cause serious injury or death. Call 9-1-1 to report it.
• Look for tilted trees, telephone poles, fences or walls, and for new holes or bare spots on hillsides.
• If trapped in your vehicle, stay with it. If possible, relocate to the hood if water continues to rise.
• Be alert when driving. Roads may become blocked or closed due to hazards.
• Report small problems as soon as they occur so they don’t turn into bigger problems.

El Nino Prep for Redondo Beach Residents

LA County Sandbags
www.dpw.lacounty.gov/wmd/homeowners/sandbags.cfm

Redondo Beach Sandbag location
www.redondo.org/news/displaynewsasp?NewsID=2606&TargetID=1

SCE
www.sce.com/wps/portal/home/safety/power-lines/lut/p/b0/04_Sj9CPykssy0xPLMnMz0vMAfGjzOiNLdwdPTyDD-Tz9nT3cDDzNDYwCHc28jAzcDfSDU0P0C7IdFQEFA0B/

Emergency Check List

FREE Rain Barrels

NOAA
www.nws.noaa.gov/com/weatherreadynation/fall_safety.html

SPEED NETWORKING EVENT!
Get your new year off to a great start and join us!

When: Tuesday, January 19
7:30am - 9:30am

Where: The Salvation Army
Meeting Room
125 W. Beryl Street
Redondo Beach 90277

Cost: $20 Per Person
$15 Chamber Members
Includes Continental Breakfast

Call 310-376-6911 or visit www.redondochamber.org/events for more information.
focused on setting health-related goals for the coming year.

But even with our country’s intense focus on self-improvement each New Year, pledging to live with a clear sense of purpose conspicuously falls outside the top 10 resolutions annually – despite an overwhelming body of research showing the mental and physical health benefits associated with discovering what motivates you to get out of bed each morning.

Take, for example, the research of Blue Zones Project Founder and National Geographic Explorer Dan Buettner – who spent years observing the behaviors of people in the five areas of the world with the highest rate of centenarians – Okinawa, Japan; Loma Linda, California; Nicoya, Costa Rica; Sardinia, Italy; and Ikaria, Greece. Buettner and his team identified “living with purpose” as one of the nine most essential human behaviors contributing to increased longevity in the five “Blue Zones.”

“The Okinawans call it ikigai and the Nicoyans call it plan de vida; for both it translates to ‘why I wake up in the morning.’ In all Blue Zones people had something to live for beyond just work,” writes Buettner in his New York Times best-selling book The Blue Zones Solution.

Fellow best-selling author and renowned world expert on purpose Richard Leider, who will be leading a free workshop in Hermosa Beach on Feb. 10, defines purpose as “the reason we are alive.” He stresses that each of us needs a reason to face the day each morning – because without it we can lose our will to live.

Both Buettner and Leider also agree that purpose significantly impacts a person’s health, happiness and longevity and that it’s never too late for people to discover it, regardless of age.

In fact, Buettner believes purpose may add up to seven additional years to your life expectancy.

Now that’s what I call resolution-worthy.

MEET RICHARD LEIDER

A pioneer in the field of executive-life coaching, Richard Leider has become an internationally respected author, speaker and a noted spokesperson for the “power of purpose.” Forbes ranks him as one of the top five most respected executive coaches, and he was prominently featured in the PBS Special – The Power of Purpose.

As a keynote speaker, Richard has worked with more than 100,000 leaders from more than 100 well-known organizations, including AARP, Mayo Clinic, National Football League (NFL) and MetLife. His ten books, including New York Times best-seller The Power of Purpose, have sold over one million copies.

Beach Cities Health District urges all residents to begin the New Year with a clear purpose by attending a community workshop on Feb. 10 at 6 p.m. at the Hermosa Beach Community Center. The workshop will be facilitated by nationally acclaimed speaker Richard Leider and preregistration is required at bchd.org/purpose.

The Portofino Inn, as it was originally named, opened in 1962 by racecar enthusiast Mary Davis. This California beach hotel helped spur early interest in Redondo Beach’s King Harbor when it opened three years later. Named for the Italian seacoast town of Portofino and admired for its Mediterranean flavor, the inn drew thousands of visitors for a three-day welcome celebration for the King Harbor opening. The property was a hangout for racers including Peter Revson, an F1 Grand Prix Winner of Revlon family fame, who had a condo there. The Cannonball, a car race from New York to Los Angeles was first run in 1971 with The Portofino Inn as the final destination where competitors had to ring a bell on the check-in desk to signal completion of their race. The movie, Cannonball Run, features scenes filmed at The Portofino. Today, known as one of the finest in California lodging, the resort continues to be a favorite among South Bay residents as well as world travelers.

This remarkable hotel has most recently completed a multi-million dollar renovation. Guests now enjoy a new ocean-inspired theme for the lobby, upgraded guest rooms and baths in a contemporary nautical theme. The resort offers five new luxury suites. In addition to great Pacific views and luxury hotel accommodations, this beautiful oceanfront resort includes a fitness facility, wireless high-speed Internet access available in the guest rooms and public areas and a 24-hour business center. The newly renovated guest rooms feature a casual beach look that incorporate hues of blue, yellow and whites, and are as beautiful indoors as the views outdoors. The backdrop of sun and crystal sea is a perfect setting for weddings, beach weekend getaways and business functions.

Life is indeed beautiful at The Portofino Hotel & Marina. Designed to maximize everything that guests touch, see and sense. Casual, yet luxuriously comfortable, you are invited to stay as long as forever.
More to Sea Chamber Online Radio Show

South Bay Radio Show

Members of the business community and the general public can now learn about what’s happening at the Redondo Beach Chamber and in the community through the Redondo Beach Chamber’s weekly internet radio show, The South Bay Show More to Sea!

The South Bay Show is an internet radio program hosted by Joe Terry and Jackie Balestra on Blog Talk Radio.

“The South Bay More to Sea,” is a weekly radio program on the web where the Chamber invites business and government leaders to discuss timely topics and promote its members. The show airs weekly on Wednesday mornings from 8:00 to 9:00 AM and is also available 24/7 online at http://www.southbaybyjackie.com/redondo-beach-more-to-sea.php where it is downloadable to share digitally at your leisure with colleagues or family and friends, or just save for a walk down the Esplanade or on the Redondo Beach Pier.

We are always looking for new ways to provide value to our members as well as communicate with the community at large. If you have any topics that you would be interested in hearing or discussing, please e-mail Mara Santos at Santos@RedondoChamber.org.

Wednesday, January 27, 2016
4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.
Samba Brazilian Steakhouse
207 N. Harbor Dr.
Redondo Beach, CA 90277

Questions: Call (310) 376-6911

This event is FREE for members.

Stay for the Mixer ($5) which begins promptly at 5:30, and mix, mingle and enjoy refreshments provided by Samba.

To Sign Up, please visit our website calendar at:
www.redondochamber.org
Email Nanci@redondochamber.org or call the office at (310) 376-6911

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THE INITIATIVE HAS TWO MAIN COMPONENTS:

• Imposing a property “surcharge” of up to 1% on targeted properties;
• Funding of state tax credits, health programs and education programs with the revenue from the property tax “surcharge.”

As the Chamber investigates this proposal, a position of opposition on the initiative would be consistent with previous opposition to all proposals that would increase the tax burden on commercial properties. In the last five years, the Legislature has introduced three bills that would have created a so-called “split roll” for property taxes. The Chamber has opposed those bills as job killers.

There is also great concern that higher taxes on rental properties will likely create higher rents for businesses and rental property residents should the measure pass. There are additional concerns over the fact that the initiative will create a targeted tax on high value property, ambiguities in drafting will likely lead to litigation, and uncertainty will be created regarding the application of the surcharge on commercial property.
Ribbon CUTTINGS

Slider Stop
2315 Artesia Blvd., #1, Redondo Beach, CA  90278
(310) 214-5200 • www.sliderstop.com

Slider Stop recently celebrated their grand opening with a ribbon cutting by the Redondo Beach Chamber of Commerce and Visitors Bureau. Owners (and brothers) Ryan and Jason Rezaie are pictured here holding scissors, surrounded by City Officials and RBCC&VB Ambassadors including Mayor Steve Aspel, Councilmen Steve Sammarco, Laura Emdee, and Jeff Ginsburg; James Reina of Senator Ben Allen’s office; Erick Matos of Assemblyman David Hadley’s office; Michael Jackson, RBCC&VB Chair of the Board; RBCC&VB President & CEO Marna Smeltzer; Larry Halvorson of Express Employment Professionals; Heidi Butzine of ShopLocal.US; and other friends and fans of Slider Stop.

Submit NEWS...
We would like to hear from you.
email: Karin@RedondoChamber.org

How to JOIN:
If you would like to learn more about how your business can benefit from membership in the Redondo Beach Chamber of Commerce & Visitors Bureau, please contact our member representatives below. You can also fill out a member application online at RedondoChamber.org/join if you are ready to join now.

310.376.6911
- Nanci Goussak (ext. 128) | nanci@RedondoChamber.org
- Cheryl Kahnamoui (ext: 130) | cheryl@RedondoChamber.org

“*The Chamber is a wonderful resource for marketing opportunities, networking with other business, and many other helpful resources for a new business in the community. Well worth the money and time spent at the various functions through the year!*”

Doug Christenson
Owner, South Bay Mobile Tours

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First Place
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Happy Anniversary to Larry Halvorson of Express Employment Professionals; Ray Gedert of Money Mailer; Chanel Garcia of FirstLight HomeCare; Aimee Specter of RBUSD; pictured here with RBCC&VB Ambassador Mark Applegate.

Welcome our newest members: Hugo Auler of YogaCycle; Candice Mollareza and Nina Monraz of Black and White Car Rental; Branden Larson of Residence Inn Redondo Beach; Tony Buttitta of New York Life; Patti Converse of Kissable Faces; and Drisa Carrizo of PDM CPA's.

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(310) 401-4916
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Mr. Tony Buttitta
801 N. Brand Blvd. Penthouse Suite
Glendale, CA 91203
(310) 437-3212
- Insurance Services
Learning about the benefits and protections life insurance offers is easy. And it’s the smart thing to do. Life insurance can protect the ones you love and be the foundation of your financial plan. New York Life offers both term and whole life insurance at a price that works within your budget. You’ll have the peace of mind knowing that you’re backed by one of the strongest, most financially secure companies in the industry.

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- Discover more discounts at RedondoChamber.org
(In the members only section)

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Networking Tip
OF THE MONTH

Leaders lead by the questions they ask. Asking a question communicates two things: (1) what you think is important and (2) what you are interested in. Make sure to really listen to the answer as genuine interest and caring carries a lot of weight.

Thank you
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*Body Care Spine and Center

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Action Tax
Artesia Operating Associates
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Crowne Plaza Redondo Beach & Marina Hotel
Employee Savings Tickets
Evollve Inc.
FirstLight HomeCare of South Bay

Hennessey’s Tavern
Heritage Pointe Senior Apartments
Kincaid’s Bayhouse
Lurie, Zepeda, Schmalz, Hogan & Martin
Money Mailer of South Bay
Pete Moffett Productions, Inc.
Port Royal Marina
Realm Workspace
Redondo Veterinary Medical Center
RonRoss Motors

The Salvation Army
Seaside Motel
Signature Estate & Investment Advisors, LLC
South Bay Pharmacy
The Redondo Beach Hotel
Valor Christian Academy
Waddell & Reed / Karin Frasier

JOIN US FOR THE
Network Cafe
Thursday, January 14
11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Hermosa Beach
Fish Shop
719 Pier Ave
Hermosa Beach
$25 Chamber members
$30 Non-members

MUST RSVP
www.RedondoChamber.org/Chamber/Events
310.376.6911
2016 Calendar of EVENTS
RedondoChamber.org/events

NOTES: Reservations for these events must be made online at RedondoChamber.org or by calling 310.376.6911. Please cancel your reservations for events if you are unable to attend. No-shows will be invoiced.

January 5
City Council Meeting
6:00 P.M.
Council Chambers
415 Diamond St.

January 12
Tourism Committee Meeting
3:00 P.M.
Chamber Offices
119 W. Torrance Blvd., Suite 2

January 13
Executive Committee Meeting
8:00 A.M.
Chamber Office
119 W. Torrance Blvd., Suite 2

January 14
City Council Meeting
6:00 P.M.
Council Chambers
415 Diamond St.
Network Cafe
11:30 A.M.
Hermosa Beach
Fish Shop
719 Pier Ave
Local Issues Meeting
4:00 P.M.
Chamber Office
119 W. Torrance Blvd., Suite 2

January 18
Martin Luther King Jr. Chamber Office Closed

January 19
Speed Networking
7:30 A.M.
The Salvation Army
125 W. Beryl St.

January 20
Mayor's Reception
5:30 P.M.
Chamber Patio
119 W. Torrance Blvd., suite #2

January 21
Ambassador Meeting
4:00 P.M.
Chamber Office
119 W. Torrance Blvd., Suite 2

January 22
GRC Meeting
4:00 P.M.
AES
1100 N. Harbor Dr.

January 26
Economic Development Committee Meeting
4:00 P.M.
Chamber Office
119 W. Torrance Blvd

January 27
Full Board Meeting
8:00 A.M.
Main Library
303 N. Pacific Coast Hwy

New Member Orientation
4:00 P.M.
Samba Brazilian and Steak House
207 N. Harbor Dr.

The Mixer
5:30 P.M.
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January 29
Leadership Steering Committee Meeting
3:00 P.M.
Chamber Office
119 W. Torrance Blvd., #2

Redondo Pier
Association Meeting
9:00 A.M.
Tony’s on The Pier
210 Fisherman’s Wharf

Identity Theft and Business Fraud Seminar
5:30 P.M.
Crowne Plaza Redondo Beach and Marina Hotel
300 N. Harbor Dr

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South Bay Galleria

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